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For : ISOLATED NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULE ENCODING
PEPTIDES WHICH FORM COMPLEXES WITH MHC
MOLECULES HLA-CW*1601 AND USES THEREOF
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**REQUEST FOR RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT TO BE VACATED AND
IMMEDIATE EXAMINATION**

SIR:


The Examiner issued a Restriction Requirement in this case on June 29, 2004, calling for restriction amongst claims 1-16.

By PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT dated February 20, 2002, claims 22-25 were pending **NOT** claims 1-16. Attached is a copy of applicants' return receipt postcard, where item "3" is a Preliminary Amendment, as well as a copy of that Preliminary Amendment.

This application has been pending for over 2½ years. Applicants believe examination on the merits is overdue.

Respectfully submitted,

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